

Business Partnership Council Meeting Minutes

[Biotechnology]

[11-14-2012]

[10am]

[SC201]

ITEM [1]. *[Credit hour changes to the two courses below]*

Discussion: The following course changes are being discussed by Council. Program faculty Dr. Becky Mercer, Dr. Alex Gorgevska, and Dr. Tod Fairbanks have provided justification for the change with support from Associate Dean Robert van der Velde. The vote was put to the College Biology Cluster and approved 10/24/2012.

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours			Justification*
		Current	Requested	Net Change	
BSC2421	Introduction to Biotechnology (lecture)	3	2	-1	The requested 1-credit decrease for BSC2421 will make this lecture more accessible to students looking for a general education science course, and is comparable to other 4-credit introductory science lecture/lab courses.
BSC2945C	Biotechnology Internship	2	3	+1	The requested 1-credit increase for BSC2945C will more accurately reflect that this internship demands the full participation of the student as both an employee-in-training at one of our partner biotechnology companies/research institutes.

*The combined requested changes will allow the AA/AS Program to remain at 61 credit hours.

Data source consulted (where appropriate) N/A

Action: Approved by Council and Biology Cluster. Next steps, submit to the Dean's council.

Below are the results of the vote:

Last Name	First Name	Pre-fix	Affiliation	Title	Vote	Note
Arango-Jaramillo	Silvio	Dr.	Palm Beach State College	Science Department Chair	Approve	-
Mercer	Becky	Dr.	Palm Beach State College	Dir. Biotechnology Programs	Approve	Previous affiliation was Scripps Florida
Dukor	Rina	Dr.	BioTools, Inc.	President & CEO	Approve	-
Fairbanks	Tod	Dr.	Palm Beach State College	Professor	Approve	-
Handel	Libby	Dr.	Torrey Pines Institute for Molecular Studies	Dir. Business Development	Approve	Previous affiliation was Palm Beach State College
Johnson	Ray	Mr.	Cytonics	President	Approve	-
Jundzil	Richard	Mr.	Dyadic International (USA), Inc	Director Development & Quality	-	Member is non-responsive.
Kirby	Kenneth	Mr.	TransDermal Technologies Inc	President & CEO	-	Member is non-responsive.
Saenz	Doug	Mr.	Workforce Alliance	Workforce Development Manager	Approve	-
Slygh	Lyn	Ms.	Seminole Ridge High School	Biotech Academy	Approve	-
Zylberberg	Claudia	Dr.	Akron Biotech	President & CEO	Approve	-
Leach-Scampavia	Deborah	Ms.	Scripps Florida Research Institute	Director, Education & Outreach	Approve	-
Strosberg	Donny	Dr.	Scripps Florida Research Institute	Professor	-	Member has died.

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Attendance

Arango-Jaramillo, Silvio

Mercer, Becky

Dukor, Rina

Fairbanks, Tod

Handel, Libby

Johnson, Ray*

Jundzil, Richard (Absent)

Kirby, Kenneth (Absent)

Saenz, Doug

Slygh, Lyn*

Zylberberg, Claudia

Leach-Scampavia, Deborah*

Strosberg, Donny (Absent)

*Indicates participation by phone or computer.

Submitted by: _____

[Becky Mercer], Scribe